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> REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

## **REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants respectfully request a <u>three</u>-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time be extended up to and including March 9, 2003. A check in the amount of \$860.00 is attached to cover the <u>three</u>-month extension of time fee and Notice of Appeal fee. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

## NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner rejecting claims <u>9-25</u>, <u>32-35</u>, <u>45-69</u> and <u>83</u> in the above-captioned application.

A check in the amount of \$860.00 is attached to cover the Notice of Appeal fee (\$330.00) and the difference between the second-month and the third-month extension of time

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Respectfully submitted,

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